The first brigade of Illinois militia is without a General. This accounts for the sassy attitude of Europe .- Louiseille Courier Jour.

Second thoughts are sometimes best, which is a good reason why a man who attempts to commit suicide by drowning should be able to swim. - P. I.

can keep kicking longer than a shark can weaknesses peculiar to women, some doubtkeep waiting you are all righ'. "There is one thing I will say for poor old caustic local treatment. But the mighty

at the f neral, "if he was a har he was a Thousands of ladies employed the "Favorite gentlemanly liar."-Detroit Post. The Boston Star says that the chief

trouble with the age in which we live is that it believes too much in varnish and vencer, and too little in solid wood. The first train over an lowa railroad bridge

smashed it in. This shows the folly of trying to but bridges together with flour paste. They should be gammed with bandoline .-Philadelphia Chronicle, A brotherly Colorado "Personal" reads

thus: "Mr. Orth Storn, the gifted editor of the Leadville Chronicle, arrived in town last evening: His remains will be shipped for shome Monday evening."

The Journal of Mental Science, London says that "criminal responsibility is the psychological possibility of the efficaciousness of the penal code." It is a good definition if one has time to spare over it.

in a thoughtful manuer: "What a pity it is strengthens the system and purifies the blood. that bur forefathers, the noble sons of the By druggists. forest, failed to pass an anti-Kuropean bill early in the seventeenth century." - Oil City | If there ever was a specific for any one Dernick.

cepting an offer of marriage. That is all dose. other girl that when a man is afraid to come to the house and ask for you right to your face, but sneaks off behind the post-office and asks for you at long range with a threecent declaration of his love, the best answe you can make him is "No," in five-line pica. -Harlington Hawkeye.

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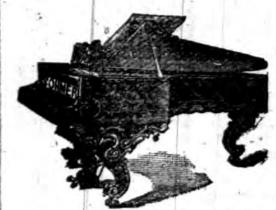
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